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In re application of: M. Merlau et. al.

Serial No.: 10/702,361 : Group Art Unit: 1615

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For: Durable Hold Hair Styling Compositions and Method of Use

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 Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants, by their Attorney, respectfully request a two (2) month extension of time, to and including February 12, 2008 for filing a response in the above-identified patent application.

This request for extension of time is neither made for the purpose of delay nor for any other improper motive.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$460.00 fee for this extension to Deposit Account No. 18-1850. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed. Please charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1850.

Respectfully submitted,

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